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CIRCULATING THROUGHOUT THE VAST AGRICULTURAL AREA OF PALM BEACH COUNTY

Kenneth Foster Is Board Chairman To Succeed Rardin

Kenneth P. Foster, County Commissioner from District One, was named chairman of the county board Monday when the commission held its annual reorganization meeting. Foster, who resides in West Palm Beach, moved up from the vice president's office.

Named as vice chairman was John Prince, representative from District Three. Prince resides at Lake Worth.

The new chairman, who succeeds Paul Rardin of Canal Point, is serving his first four year term on the commission. In addition to his duties as a commissioner, he is active in civic affairs and is a member of a number of civic organizations including the Chamber of Commerce, Kiwanis Club, Abu Shrine Club, West Palm Beach Fishing Club, Board of Realtors, and the Flotilla Club.

Mr. Prince is no newcomer to the officers section of the County Commission having previously served as chairman of the board for three and one-half years.

Mr. Prince is the oldest member on the board in length of service and is beginning his 18th year as a county commissioner. He was named chairman in 1945, an office he held until 1948.

The veteran commission member is recognized as one of the most well informed officials on county affairs of any in this section. An active civic leader, he holds memberships in the American Legion Elks Club.

Rotary Is Thanked By Canal Point PTA For Walk-In Ice Box

The Canal Point Parent-Teacher Association wishes to express its appreciation and thanks to the Pahokee Rotary Club and to Abe Dobrow, chairman of the club's welfare fund, for the walk-in refrigerator which has been installed at the Canal Point School Luncheon through the efforts of the club and funds furnished by the club.

Singers Will Meet In Canal Point Jan. 27

The Glades Singing Convention will hold an all day sing at the Baptist Church on the canal in Canal Point on Sunday, Jan. 27. Dinner will be served at noon and friends of the church are cordially invited to attend.

On Friday night, Jan. 25, preceding the all day sing, the Upthegrove Trio will give a concert at the church. The concert is scheduled for 8 p. m. The Trio has won a wide circle of friends during the months its has been presenting concerts. A large crowd is expected for the concert. There will be no admission charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hillier have as a guest his sister, Mrs. Fred Hyde of Everett, Mass.

NEW CHAIRMAN COUNTY BOARD



KENNETH P. FOSTER
West Palm Beach

More Equipment Is Secured In Glades For Road Building

More road building equipment has been received by Palm Beach county and assigned to the Everglades, according to County Commissioner Paul Rardin. The newest piece of equipment is a grading machine which arrived in the Glades on Tuesday of this week. The new and modern grader replaces one that has been in use for many years, Rardin said.

Within the past few weeks three more new trucks were purchased for work in the Everglades county commission district. This brings to a total 14, as the number of trucks now being used in this immediate area to maintain and build county roads.

Ten days ago a new heavy duty diesel motor was purchased to operate a recently purchased pump to be used in road building work. The new pump and diesel motor have been installed just off North Chosen road where a county road building project is under way, according to Commissioner Rardin.

"There are a few more necessary items needed in this county commission district," Rardin said, "and I have high hopes of getting them within the next few months. Members of the county board are wholeheartedly cooperating with me in my efforts to see that the Everglades section of the county receives the equipment and consideration it so richly deserves."

Bolton's New Store Attracts Customers

Bolton's new air conditioned Rexall drug store in Pahokee is fast becoming a mecca for folks seeking drugs and sundries. The stock was recently moved from the old location into the handsome new structure across the street from the bank. Several little odds and ends are to be completed by the Boltons before the new store will hold its official opening.

Last week a sign painter lettered the front of the new store—telling the world in big letters that it is Bolton's.

OPEN LETTER

TO MR. A. Q. HOWELL

There has indeed, been a terrible blow dealt to the students and faculty of Pahokee High School and I hope some of the damage has been repaired.

The article in the January 8th, Miami Herald declaring Red sentiment in "A Pahokee School" has reached many more people than the retraction and apology in the next days edition of that newspaper.

As President of the student body, I feel that there is no question in the minds of any member of the student body as to the stability of the faculty.

Signed:
Charles McCurdy,
Pres. Student Body
Pahokee High School

AN OPEN LETTER

TO Mr. A. Q. Howell,
School Board Member:

A serious mistake was made when you dropped a loose remark questioning the integrity of the Pahokee Faculty. It is fortunate that the reporter printed this and thus brought it out into the open instead of letting it "smoulder" in the minutes of the School Board Meeting.

It is unfortunate that you selected two fine, outstanding students to check on, and inform you of subversive activities on the part of the faculty. Fortunately these students were level headed. We hope their prestige with the student body hasn't been lowered. It could have been disastrous.

The school needs and welcomes the help and constructive criticism of pupils, parents, and all people of the community. Our job is too hard for us to be able to do a good job with the kind of "stuff" we received this week. The help we need from school board members can be given by wise, intelligent, discreet, discerning and sincere individuals. We haven't had that kind of help.

Clyde A. Canipe
Prin., Pahokee High School

Funeral Services For Mrs. Lawrie

Funeral services for Mrs. Isabel deMoya Lawrie, 77, of Pahokee were held at the Episcopal Church of the Holy Nativity Saturday at 11 a. m., with Rev. John C. Petrie, officiating.

Mrs. Lawrie died at the Everglades Memorial Hospital Thursday afternoon, Jan. 3, following a long illness. For the past 13 years she had made her home in Pahokee with her son, Peter Paul deMoya.

In addition to her son, she is survived by a grandson, T-Sgt. P. deMoya, Jr., of Washington, D. C.

Palbearers were Carmen Salvatore, Sr., O. B. McClure, O. R. Bleech Earl M. Schults, Sr., Dr. Thomas Bregger and John A. Du-lany.

Burial was at the Fort Mayaca Cemetery. Berry's Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

VICE CHAIRMAN COUNTY BOARD



JOHN PRINCE
Lake Worth

C. P. Lions Against School Board Plan Raze Teacherage

Opposition to the proposed razing of the teacherage building on the Canal Point School grounds was voiced by members of the Canal Point Lions Club at the weekly dinner meeting held in the Community House Monday night with President Floyd Erickson presiding.

The club drew up a resolution requesting the County School Board to repair the building and get it back in first class shape instead of tearing it down. It was pointed out at the meeting the razing of the teacherage would be a distinct loss to the school and the community. Boyd Vorhees, secretary, was asked to send a copy of the resolution to the County School Board.

It was reported the club cleared approximately \$50 from its Christmas turkey shoot project and most of the money was used in the contribution the club voted to the Everglades Memorial Hospital for the purchase of needed equipment.

President Erickson called upon chairman of standing committee for reports of club activities during the past month.

McGouriks Operate Store Near Lite Plant

The grocery store at the railroad crossing near the light plant formerly operated by John Q. Hudgins is now being operated by Mr. and Mrs. H. G. McGourik who have leased it. The McGouriks are well and favorably known, having operated a store at Sand Cut for many years and more recently at Section Twenty. They invite their many friends to pay them a call at their new location.

The United States has enough crude and synthetic rubber on hand to meet all essential needs for five years of all-out war, John L. Colyer, president of the E. F. Goodrich Co., declared in a year-end statement.

Glowing Tribute Paid Heads Of All Departments In Co.

The re-appointment of all department heads working for the county—usually a routine actor at the County Commission annual meeting—look a new turn this week when glowing tribute was paid to the employees in a resolution adopted by the board.

County Commissioner John Prince, Lake Worth, who has been a member of the group for 18 years, spokesman for the board in drafting the praise for the what he termed the county's "trusted and valued employees."

Prince said that the board should note the records that have been marked up by the department heads, some who have been working for Palm Beach County for more than 25 years.

Prince began his tribute with County Agent M. U. Mounts, who has been with the county for 27 years. Of Mounts, Commissioner Prince said, "He has done a remarkable job in helping to build up this county, particularly in the beef raising and dairy cattle fields as well as in agriculture."

Of County Engineer J. M. Boyd, a 26-year-man, Prince said, "He is the best man the county has ever had working for them."

For Harry Johnston, county attorney for 16 years, Prince said, "There is not another attorney in the State of Florida who knows as much about running county business as he does."

For R. B. McKee, county auditor for 11 years, the speaker pointed out (continued on page 8)

Football Banquet Scheduled Jan. 21 In New Legion Hall

The annual football banquet for the Pahokee Blue Devil and Belle Glade Golden Ram football squads will be held at the new American Legion Hall in Pahokee Monday evening, Jan. 21, according to plans announced at the Tuesday luncheon meeting of the Pahokee Lions Club.

The banquet is held yearly under the joint sponsorship of the Pahokee and Belle Glade Lions Club. In addition to the football boys, members of Canal Point and South Bay Lions Clubs and school officials will be invited guests. Clyde A. Canipe, chairman of the club's boys and girls work committee, and members of his committee will be in charge of arrangements.

On the program Rev. Hal Hunter, pastor of the Pahokee First Baptist church, gave a talk on "The Bible." He was introduced by Rev. Ralph W. Todd.

Farmers Reminded Of PMA Deadline

Farmers interested in the PMA program are reminded that they have only until Jan. 15 to sign up for the program. Applications are being taken by PMA officials at the Sanders building in Belle Glade.

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25 YEARS AGO

Guy Stovall, once a resident of East Beach, is putting up a 50-car garage in Okeechobee and providing a rest room for women. Too bad he isn't doing this in Canal Point.

Muck smoke was so dense Friday night last week that a car turned back six miles northwest of 20-mile bend, rather than try to go through it.

C. H. Ellis, of West Palm Beach, manager for the Florida Light & Power Company in this territory, will meet high officials of the company within the month and find out whether they will put a plant in on East Beach.

Mrs. Jim Hudson left Saturday for Miami, where she is visiting a week with her sister, Miss Fayette Lawrence.

Everybody notices how A. Kalt-enburner has his store lighted up. Some people have remarked that they can see lights flash from places on Conners Highway. It is thought by many that it is the best lighted place on Lake Okeechobee.

Dr. Thomas, who owns property on East Beach, was called recently to the bed side of his father who lives in Bar Harbor, Maine.

Miss Marjorie Cochran returned to Pahokee Monday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. Jasper Reed and baby. She visited in Miami a week

during the holidays with her sister, Miss Sadie Cochran and Mrs. Reed visited with her folks, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cochran and family until Wednesday, when she returned to her work in Miami.

W. T. Winn and family returned last week from Miami, where they have been living a few months.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Mayo, announce the arrival of a little son, born January 3, 1927.

Miss Evelyn Wiley spent the week end with her folks in Lake Worth.

Miss Margaret York returned Tuesday to her home in Pahokee after visiting a week with Miss Alice Morris in West Palm Beach. While there some of her friends gave a dinner part in her honor.

Don't forget the choir practice at the Pahokee Methodist church every Friday evening. All who are interested in singing are requested to come every Friday evening to practice special songs to sing for the services on Sunday.

Mrs. A. Schermerhorn and daughter, Miss Hattie Friend, visited with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Friend and family, last week.

Among those who went to West Palm Beach Monday were: Mr. and Mrs. A. Kaltenbrunner, Mrs. C. R.

Winchell, Mrs. J. B. Elliott, Mrs. Alice Padgett, Mrs. Perry Davis, Mrs. Duncan Padgett, Mrs. L. B. Spooner and Mrs. L. Gray.

Mrs. L. C. Osborn of Tiverton, R. I. arrived in Pahokee Sunday afternoon to visit a while with her brother, Henry Cranston.

Miss Hattie Friend went to her school last Saturday. It is a little country school twelve miles from Okeechobee on the lake. While she is teaching, her mother, Mrs. A. Schermerhorn, will stay with her son, Frank Friend.

Paul Mansfield came in Wednesday night from Tampa and reported that a freeze split orange trees in that section. He had been to Tampa to take treatment for gallstones.

Mrs. W. G. Todd, wife of the bridge tender, used to live in North Carolina and later in Plant City.

Talking about devices to ward off frost, she recalled that cheese cloth over plants was used in other places with better results than any other method. She and Mr. Todd have promised they will revive the use of the method here and report on the result.

Rev. Blair To Talk To Pahokee PTA

Rev. William T. Blair of the Wagg Memorial Church in West Palm Beach, former pastor of the Canal Point Methodist Church, will be guest speaker at the January meeting of the Pahokee Parent-Teacher Association to be held in the high school auditorium Monday night at 8:15 o'clock.

Rev. Blair will speak on "Family Relations." He will be introduced by Mrs. Edward A. Jensen, program chairman. Everyone is urged to attend.

72 Perch Caught By Trio At Kissimmee

A trio of Pahokee and Canal Point fishermen went to the Kissimmee river Tuesday and came home with 72 speckled perch—an unusually good day's catch. Gene Butler and Mr. Rockwell of Pahokee and Rev. Oliver Hatfield, retired, of Canal Point made up the fishing party.

They reported that they used fly casting rods with bucktails for bait. "It was a lucky day for all of us," one of them reported. Another one of the group said that they would have caught more, except the bag limit got them.

Capt. David Potter, USAF, has reported back for duty at the Langley Air Force Base in Virginia after spending a 10-day leave with his mother, Mrs. Don Hillier, and family in Pahokee.

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Now I was right there with Buck and I knew all he had was coffee and pie which comes to a quarter. "How come thirty-five

cents?" I asked Buck. "Had an extra cup of java the other day, Joe, and forgot all about it—'til now," he says.

From where I sit, most people are basically honest—and that goes for their opinions, too, even though they may be different than our own. I like a glass of beer with my dinner; you may prefer something else...but we all ought to be allowed to "figure it out" ourselves.

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Cinematic Chatter

By Malcolm Millar

It is reported that Bing Crosby played a typical proud father role last week when he learned that his son, Dennis, had captured one of the backfield positions on the 1951-52 All-Catholic Prep Team in San Francisco Bay area. Some three thousand fans in the San Francisco area voted in the poll which determined the members of the team and Dennis was a unanimous choice for one of the half-back positions. It looks like Bing may have and All-American player in his family one of these days. Donald O'Connor, Hollywood's talented song and dance man has sold his first tune. The musical ditty is titled "I Waited A Little Too Long", and will soon be available to music-loving guys and gals on record. Lucious Liz Taylor has headed down Mexico way and is reported to be resting in the resort town of Acapulco. Michael Wilding, Liz's current boy friend went along and Jean Simmons and Stewart Granger are with the party acting as chaperons. Now that Shelley Winters is giving all her attention to Italian boy-friend Vittorio Gassman, ex-boy-friend Farley Granger is turning his attention to Hildegard Neff, the European facinator. Ralph Meeker is escorting starlet Barbara Ruick here, there and everywhere in Cinema City. And it looks like the real thing with Pie Angeli, who continues to be seen with Arthur Loew, Jr. See you at the movies—Mal.

Intensive Drive For March Of Dimes

Plans for an intensive March of Dimes drive for polio relief were made by members of the Meta Omicron Chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority at a meeting at the home of Mrs. Glenn Abing, with Mrs. T. W. Knight assisting as co-hostess, and Mrs. Norman Kennedy, president presiding.

The drive will take place on Jan. 31 between the hours of 6 and 7 p. m., when members of the chapter will cover the entire Pahokee-Canal Point area, stopping at homes where porch lights are on, this to be the signal that residents wish to contribute to the drive. Mrs. Jack Phillips and Mrs. Earl Crossman were appointed to have charge of the drive.

The group announced plans to attend as a body the performance of Arthur Rubinstein, concert pianist, who will play in Miami Jan. 20-21.

Mrs. Kennedy named Mrs. Curtis Chase and Mrs. E. D. Sims, Jr., to represent the chapter at the annual meeting of the American Red Cross at the Palm Beach Society of Four Arts on a Jan. 17.

On the program Mrs. D. W. Cunningham, literature chairman, asked each member present to name her favorite book and tell the group something about the book that had made it a favorite. Mrs. Abing led the group in the singing of favorite songs, with Mrs. Clyde Griffiths at the piano.

McCarty Names His Campaign Manager

FORT PIERCE—Dan McCarty, candidate for Governor, today announced the appointment of Earl P. Powers, Gainesville Certified Public Accountant and well-known Floridian, as his Campaign Manager for the 1952 race. At the same time McCarty announced his State Headquarters will be in his home town of Fort Pierce.

Powers, who arrived here over the weekend, will be in charge of State Headquarters and will direct strategy and co-ordinate campaign organization of the sixty-seven county McCarty organization.

An active Chamber of Commerce leader in Florida, Powers has headed both the Gainesville Junior and Senior Chamber of Commerce and in 1950 was selected one of the five outstanding young men in Florida. He is a graduate of Umatilla High School and the University of Florida.

Hayman - Cone

Before a candlelighted altar decorated with palms, ferns and vases of white gladioli and chrysanthemums, the Rev. J. Robert Mackey pastor, united in marriage Miss Barbara Lee Hayman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Lee Hayman, Salisbury, Md., formerly of Belle Glade, and Jerrold Doster Cone, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl T. Cone, Belle Glade, at the Asbury Methodist Church, Salisbury, at 2 p. m. Saturday.

Samuel Cinno was vocal soloist and Dr. David Kidder was organist and Dr. Robert E. Mathews, DeLand, was matron of honor and Miss Nancy Johnson, Salisbury, and Mrs. Kenneth Conner, Gainesville, were the bridesmaids. They wore ankle length gowns of leaf green nylon tulle with matching half hats of satin and tulle and carried clusters of white poinsettias. Flower girls were Karen and Sharon Mills, twins, of Hebron, Md.

Carl T. Cone was his son's best man and ushers were Bill Bailey, Belle Glade, Kenneth Conner, Gainesville, Charles Hayman, Jr., and Franklin Adkins of Hebron.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of ivory satin with redingote applique of imported fleur de bouquet chantilly lace, which terminated into a sweeping train. Her French illusion veil was caught with a band of orange blossoms and she carried a cascade bouquet of white poinsettias.

Mrs. Hayman, mother of the bride, wore an anemethysa crepe and chantilly lace gown with a circle of matching taffets and veiling for a hat. Mrs. Cone mother of the bridegroom, wore a turquoise crepe gown with matching chantilly lace jacket and a halo hat of matching crepe. They wore orchid corsages.

A reception was held at Fellowship Hall, Salisbury, after which the bride and bridegroom left for a tour of the South. They will make their home at Gainesville.

Mrs. Cone is a graduate of the Belle Glade High School and attended Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Mrs. Cone was also graduated from the Belle Glade High School and is now attending the University of Florida, where he is majoring in animal husbandry. — From Palm Beach Post.

2000 Musicians Meet In Tampa

TAMPA — Over 2,000 talented youngsters from every section of the state will gather in Tampa, Jan. 11-12 for the Eleventh Annual Music Clinic sponsored by the Florida Music Educators Association.

The clinic is designed to give vocal and instrumental music teachers in Florida schools an opportunity to observe methods used by some of the outstanding teachers in the country and music students the chance to meet and perform with other children with particular ability.

Separate sessions for orchestras, bands and vocal music on the senior and junior high and elementary school level are scheduled for Friday and Saturday and a massed concert will be presented for the general public on Saturday evening at the Fort Homer Hesterly Armory at 8:15 p. m.

Dr. Lara Hoggard of the Fred Waring's School will direct an 800 voice chorus and Paul LaVelle, nationally known director of the Band of America, N. B. C., will conduct 100 outstanding instrumentalists.

Robert Scott, music director of Jefferson High School, Tampa is general chairman of the clinic program which promises to be the best ever staged.

Miss Nancy Hillier has returned to her studies at the Mont Verde School after a holiday visit with her father, Don Hillier, and family in Pahokee. Mr. and Mrs. Hillier accompanied her to Mont Verde.

Mrs. Mattie Chastain has returned from Lake Worth where she spent several days visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Chastain.

Fire Prevention and Civil Defense Go Hand in Hand

Fire prevention is an important part of civil defense. If an enemy attacks this country, his bombs, whether they be atomic, high explosive, or incendiary, will cause more damage by fire than they will by blast. Hence, anything done to make it hard for fires to start is a step towards preparing your community to protect itself if war comes.

The majority of all fires start in trashpiles, rubbish, or stored odds and ends that accumulate around the house. Closets, attics, and cellars are the main source of home fires, and plain ordinary good housekeeping is a strong line of defense against them.

Clean out your storage places. You will be surprised at how many burnable odds and ends are really useless to you. Don't let them make your home a fire hazard. Get rid of them. If local welfare agencies can't use them, call the junk man.

Don't stop when you've cleared out the inside of your house. Go after rubbish in your back yard, in alleys and in vacant lots near your home. Collect the rubbish and burn it. Don't leave it around to burn if an enemy bombs your city. Be sure to burn rubbish in metal containers.

Take a look at your electrical system. Buy new plugs and cords if yours are worn. Get advice from an electrician if your fuses blow frequently. They may be dangerously overloaded. His advice may prevent a bad fire.

Every winter costly fires are started by faulty furnaces, stoves, and other heating plants. Some result from too much soot in

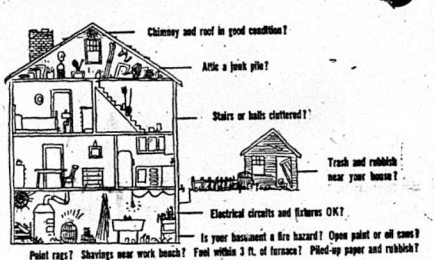
chimneys. Others are caused by rusted or cracked pipes and fittings. Look over your heating system now. If your chimney needs it, clean it out. If the furnace pipes and connections are cracked and rusted, replace them.

Teach your family not to put magazines, papers, or clothing on radiators or near open flames. Don't hang flimsy curtains near your kitchen stove. Don't allow lamp shades to come in contact with light bulbs. Remember that such things don't have to touch flame to burn. They will catch fire simply because they are too close to the heat for too long.

Gasoline, benzine, naphtha, and similar fluids should never be used indoors. When mixed with air, their vapors can be ignited by the spark of a light switch, or an electric fan, or the tiny flame of a pilot light. Keep such fluids in tightly closed metal containers outside your home.

And remember: oil-soaked rags, especially rags that have been used to spread quick-drying liquids such as turpentine, paint thinners, and some furniture polishes, can catch fire by themselves. Oil rags should be stored in air-tight metal containers. It is best to keep them outside the house.

"Clean Buildings Seldom Burn"



Roy Michael Heads PBCo School Trustees

Roy E. Michael, Jr., Lake Worth, was elected chairman of the Board of School Trustees Tuesday afternoon during an organization meeting of the new-elected members.

Speaking for himself and Henry O. Earwood, Belle Glade, and James Nemece, West Palm Beach, the other trustees, Mr. Michael said:

"Our general policy will be to work for a more complete ideal of Americanism through teaching American history in our schools more along lines of American ideals."

Mr. Michael pledged the cooperation of the Board of Trustees with the School Board. Mr. Michael formerly lived in Pahokee and taught in the Pahokee Schools.

Readdick - Culberson

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Readdick of Pahokee announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Barbara Jean Readdick, to Andrew Edward Culberson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Culberson, Sr., also of Pahokee.

The wedding took place in Folkston, Ga., on New Year's Day, with Judge Cecil Connor, justice of peace, officiating at the single ring ceremony. Mrs. Culberson, the bridegroom's mother, was a witness.

The bride is a graduate of Vero Beach High School and is employed as a bookkeeper at the Bank of Pahokee.

Mr. Culberson graduated from Pahokee High School and is now associated with his father in the vegetable brokerage and trucking business. The couple are making their home in Pahokee.

Suggests Candidates Speak Together

SANFORD — Brailley Odham, Sanford candidate for governor, has suggested all candidates for statewide office arrange to speak in each of the 67 counties from the same platform at the same time.

His proposal was included in a letter to the state Democratic executive committee which met Saturday in St. Petersburg. A joint speaking tour of the type proposed by Odham is traditional in South Carolina and was suggested in Florida in 1944 by former Governor Millard F. Caldwell during his campaign. Candidates then, however, were unable to agree on speaking dates because their itineraries were already planned.

Minute Maid Plan Proves Successful

PLYMOUTH—Though a scant two months old, Minute Maid Corporation's grower-participation plan has provided nearly all the early and mid-season fruit needed for full-scale operation, Holman R. Cloud, vice-president, said last week.

Only a small amount of additional fruit is expected to be purchased in the 50-50 profit-sharing plan designed to stabilize citrus prices and provide a permanent home for fruit, Cloud said.

He termed the plan "highly successful," while disclosing that Minute Maid foresees a record high in frozen concentrates this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Culp of Alton, Ill., were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cruthird, recently while enroute to Miami.

C. P. PTA Hears Roy and Williams Monday

Talks on "Character Education in Church, School and Home" were given by Rev. James R. Roy, Methodist minister, and Claude Williams, school principal, at the January meeting of the Canal Point Parent-Teacher Association held in the school auditorium Monday night, with president T. Q. Harrison presiding.

Rev. Roy gave the benediction and announced Canal Point Boy Scout Troop 24 will be reorganized in the near future under the sponsorship of PTA, with Red Williams to serve as scoutmaster.

Mrs. Pope Sears reported 24 local members of PTA are subscribing to the State PTA Magazine and 14 members to the National PTA Magazine. Mrs. Boyd Vorcees read the letter from the president.

The monthly attendance award was won by Mr. Williams' seventh grade room.

During the social hour which followed the meeting, refreshments were served by Mrs. Cecil Hall, Mrs. Floyd Erickson, Mrs. Perry Hall and Mrs. Pope Sears, hostesses.

Hall - Hitchcock

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Mrs. Violet Hall daughter of K. A. M. Pugh of Canal Point, to M. M. Hitchcock of Bradenton and Casa Nova, N. Y.

The wedding took place at the home of Eschelon Long, justice of peace, in Woodbine, Ga., on Dec. 10, with Mrs. Long officiating.

Mrs. Hitchcock is owner and operator of Violet's Beauty Salon in Pahokee and Mr. Hitchcock is associated with the Red Wing Supermarket in Belle Glade. They are making their home in Pahokee.

March Of Dimes Campaign Planned

Plans for the annual March of Dimes drive to collect funds for polio relief have been announced by Mrs. Leon Spooner, chairman for the Pahokee-Canal Point drive.

The Pahokee Lions Club will place collection boxes at the various business houses in Pahokee and the Canal Point Lions Club will do the same in the Canal Point business district.

Through the courtesy of the management of the Gold-Dobrow Theatres, members of the Pahokee Woman's Club will sponsor of Dimes collections at the local theatres each night for a week.

Between the hours of 6 and 7 o'clock on the evening of Jan. 31 members of the Beta Omicron Chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority will cover the Pahokee-Canal Point area in a house-to-house canvass, stopping at the houses where the porch lights are on, to be a signal that residents wish to contribute to the March of Dimes campaign.

Senator Russel Morrow is general chairman of Palm Beach County in the March of Dimes campaign.

Ogle Boys To Be On Destroyer Together

John Ogle, MMFM, U. S. Navy, son of Mrs. Claude Santee, is a member of the crew of the U. S. Destroyer John W. Weeks which stood by the stricken freighter, Flying Enterprise, in the stormy Atlantic for several days to render aid to the captain of the freighter who refused to leave his ship.

John has been in the Navy for 18 months. His brother, Richard Ogle, who recently completed his boot training in the Navy, spent the holidays in Canal Point visiting his mother and Mr. Santee. He left on Wednesday of this week to report for sea duty at Richmond, Va. He has also been assigned to the USS John W. Weeks and expects to join his brother as a member of the destroyer's crew in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jones and children have returned to Gibson, N. C., after a visit with his sister, Mrs. Ueber Caruthers, and family in Pahokee.

Groups Named By OES For New Year

New officers of the Pahokee Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, were inducted at an open installation ceremony held in the Masonic Hall Friday night, with Mrs. Iva Snyder, past matron, acting as installing officer. Other past matrons who assisted Mrs. Snyder with the installation officer, Mrs. Jessie Barnes, installing marshal, Mrs. Edna Barrett, installing chaplain, Mrs. Jennie McKinstry, installing secretary, and Mrs. Beulah George, installing organist.

Elected officers inducted were Mrs. Ruth Carpenter, worthy matron; Homer Barnes, worthy patron; Mrs. Eleanor Holden, secretary; Mrs. Ila Howell, treasurer; Mrs. Gladys Harrington, conductress, and Mrs. Mattie Lou Keen, associate conductress.

Officers appointed by the new worthy matron also installed at the meeting were Mrs. Ruth Meredith, chaplain; Mrs. Dorothy Denton, organist; Mrs. Dorothy Graham, organist; Mrs. Velma Hall, Adah; Mrs. Judy Sapp, Ruth; Mrs. Angela Sears, Esther; Mrs.



Lucy Ogle, Martha; Mrs. Adeline Wroten, Electa; Mrs. Rachel Harrington, warder, and Lon Adams, sentinel.

On Thursday night of this week this week the Pahokee OES Chapter held another meeting in the Masonic Hall, with Mrs. Carpenter, the new worthy matron, and Mr. Barnes, the new worthy patron, presiding for the first time.

Mrs. Carpenter named committee chairmen for the coming year as follows: Mrs. Lucy Ogle, ways and means; Mrs. Virginia Adams, relief; Mrs. Ruth Meredith, visitation and flowers; Mrs. Mabel Young, instruction of new members; M. P. Holman, examination of books; all past matrons, examination of visitors; Mrs. Hulda Wilson, hospitality; Mrs. Angela Sears, greeting; Mrs. Dorothy Graham, entertainment and gifts; Mrs. Edna Barrett, banquet; Mrs. Mabel Young, decorations and flowers; Mrs. Jennie McKinstry, refreshments.

Revival Is Being Conducted By Ferdon

Rev. O. H. Ferdon of Tampa is conducting a series of revival meetings at the Church of the Nazarene in Pahokee. Rev. Ferdon is former pastor of the Pahokee Church. Services are being held each evening.

Arbor Day Will Be Observed On Jan. 18

The executive board of the Pahokee-Canal Point Garden Club, at a meeting at the home of Mrs. Frank Friend, program chairman, Tuesday, made plans for the club's annual observance of Arbor Day on Jan. 18.

The club will conduct an all day meeting in the city park on Arbor Day, with a picnic luncheon at noon. Featured on the Arbor Day program will be the planting of following trees in the city park.

Following the luncheon the circles will plant flowering trees at the site of their individual projects. The Gardenia Circle will go to the County Park at Canal Point to plant a tree on the park grounds. The Hibiscus Circle will plant a tree on the city hall grounds; the Poinsettia Circle, on the Everglades Memorial Hospital grounds, and the Ixora Circle, in Ixora Park.

At Tuesday's meeting Mrs. Friend read a letter from Mrs. Caffrey of Miami in regard to hte examination papers written by local club members in the Flower Show School held several weeks ago at the County Park Community House. Several of the persons attending the school turned in outstanding examination papers, she said.

A four-pound hen, laying 250 eggs a year, produces about 31 pounds of finished product, according to the Florida Farm Bureau.

Pvt. Charles A. Humphries has returned to Fort Jackson, S. C., after spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Humphries, Jr., in Pahokee. Pvt. Humphries expects to be assigned to overseas duty after completing two more weeks of basic training at Fort Jackson.

Chamber To Hold Membership Drive

The Pahokee Chamber of Commerce at a meeting of the executive board in the city hall Tuesday night made plans for its annual membership drive which will start Monday, Jan. 14.

On the committee in charge of the drive are Homer J. Clause, Abe Dobrow, Manning I. Keen and Leon Burnett. It was voted to make arrangements to secure membership plaques.

Frank Thompson, city building inspector, gave a talk in which he explained the city's zoning laws.

Mrs. J. C. Mock has returned home after a week's visit with her mother, Mrs. M. A. Gay, and other relatives in Miami.

WSCS Of Pahokee In Its Regular Meeting

Mrs. L. J. McCaffrey of Miami was guest speaker at the January meeting of the Pahokee First Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service held at the church Monday afternoon, with Mrs. Ruth Meredith, president, presiding.

Introduced by Mrs. J. T. Borton, program chairman, the speaker gave a talk on "My Trip Through Palestine." Members of the Canal Point and Belle Glade WSCS and the Pahokee First Baptist WMS attended the meeting as guests to hear Mrs. Caffrey's talk. Mrs. John A. Dulany was in charge of the devotional program.

Mrs. Duncan Padgett, chairman of the Mabel Simonson Circle, reported her circle cleared \$148.12 from a recent rummage sale and has used the money to complete payment for the remodeling of the church kitchen which was a circle project.

It was announced a series of studies on "Family Life" will be held at circle meetings, starting, Jan. 21, and it was voted to invite PTA members to join circle members in this study.

Each circle chairman gave a report on the sunshine and gift baskets which her circle prepared and presented to needy families at Christmas time.

The Margery Lair Circle was authorized to purchase a flower chart and the traveling attendance pin was retained by Mrs. Arch Blakey, chairman of the Margery Lair Circle.

Mrs. Meredith announced the Pahokee WSCS will be host at a district WSCS meeting to be held in Pahokee on Mar. 12, with Mrs. Blakey and members of her circle to be in charge of arrangements.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Unwin had as a recent guest Bert Gibson of Laurinsburg, N. C.

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"It shall be unlawful for any person or persons, as defined herein, to engage in business as herein defined, under a fictitious name as herein defined, without and unless said fictitious name shall be registered with the clerk of the circuit court of the county where the principal place of business is, which registration shall consist of filing with the clerk aforesaid an affidavit signed by all interested persons, stating under oath the names of all those interested in the business enterprise, the extent of the interest of each, and the fictitious name under which said business is carried on. Said registration may not be made until the person or persons desiring to engage in business under a fictitious name shall have advertised his or their intention to register said fictitious name at least once a week for four (4) consecutive weeks in some newspaper as defined by law in the county where said registration is to be made, and said registration shall not be accepted by the clerk of the circuit court except upon receiving proof of such publication."



Church and CLUB NEWS

Canal Point Missionary Baptist

C. J. Smyly, Pastor

MONDAY

Ione Patterson Circle of W. M. U. meets every second Monday of each month, 2:30 p. m.

General W. M. S. meeting every third Monday of each month, 8:00 p. m.

Deacons meeting on Monday night before first Wednesday of each month, 8:00 p. m.

TUESDAY

Auxiliary Day.

WEDNESDAY

Sunbeams, 2:30 p. m.

G. A. S., 3:30 p. m.

Prayer Meeting, 8:00 p. m.

THURSDAY

Annie Jones Circle of W. M. U. Meets first Tuesday of each month, 8:00 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene McCall and son, Mike, were guests of her mother, Mrs. M. C. Carter and Mr. Carter and his father, Mr. McCall at Port Mayaca. Mrs. McCall and son Mike are remaining in Canal Point for a visit. Mr. McCall who is a machinist mate, third class in the Navy, left last Wednesday for Norfolk where he is stationed.

Classified Ads

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FOR SALE: Holland cabbage set- ters, cost new \$350, will sell \$125 each. Also two 41 Flat Bottom Plows, very reasonable, Hull Packing Co., Phone 685. TF

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Church Of God

(Barfield Highway)

Rev. James W. Miller, Pastor

9:45 A. M. Sunday School.

11:00 A. M. Morning Worship.

7:00 P. M.—L. W. W. B. (Parsonage).

7:30 P. M. Evening Worship.

7:30 P. M. Tuesday, Prayer Meeting.

7:00 P. M. Friday, Children's Church.

7:30 P. M. Friday, Y. P. E.

The Methodist Church Canal Point, Florida

James R. Roy, Pastor

0:00 A. M.—Sunday School

1:00 A. M.—Morning Worship.

5:30 P. M.—Junior and MYF.

7:30 P. M.—Evening Service.

Circles In Regular Monthly Meetings

Mrs. R. L. Parker was hostess to members of the Lottie Moon Circle, First Baptist WMS, at a meeting at her home Monday afternoon, with Miss Elizabeth Caraway, chairman, presiding.

Mrs. Stella Mullis presented the mission study of "God's Troubadours."

Mrs. Parker and Mrs. E. E. Coleman were appointed in charge of entertainment for the Youth Choir through January. The group voted a \$10 contribution toward the purchase of a new coffee urn for the church kitchen. The distribution of Christian literature in the offices of local physicians was announced by Mrs. Parker, community missions chairman, as the circle's mission project for the month.

It was announced Mrs. Iva DuBose will be hostess to the circle at the February meeting.

The Philathea and Fidelis Classes of the Pahokee First Baptist Sunday School at recent meetings voted to cooperate in the joint sponsorship of a supper party for members of the two classes who have been assigned to serve as teachers in the Sunday School.

The tentative date for the supper was announced as Feb. 7. Mrs. W. W. McCurdy, Mrs. P. A. Sizemore and Mrs. Seth W. Roberts were appointed to represent the Philathea Class and Mrs. W. A. Keen, Mrs. Glynn Carr and Mrs. Milton Douglas, the Fidelis Class, in working out arrangements for the affair.

Jernigan Circle In Regular Meeting

"The World-Wide Mission" was the subject of a program presented by Mrs. H. C. Graham at a meeting of the Grace Jernigan Circle, First Baptist WMS, at a meeting at the home of Mrs. Frank Thompson Tuesday night. Talks on the subject were given by Mrs. D. W. Young, Mrs. R. S. Douthit, Mrs. W. M. DuBose, Mrs. W. W. McCurdy, Mrs. Eva Humphries and Mrs. Thompson. Mrs. Wiley Tillis was in charge of the devotionals. As a community missions project for the month the group voted to prepare a basket of fruit for a missionary.

John B. Cruthird Has Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cruthird entertained at the Woman's Club Sunday afternoon with a party for their son, John Bennett, who was celebrating his sixth birthday anniversary.

Mrs. John Elbon and Mrs. Leo Maxwell assisted with the entertaining. Games were enjoyed and horns were presented to the guests as party favors. Refreshments were served to 20.

Woman's Club Sends \$20 "Care" Packages

The Pahokee Woman's Club at a business luncheon in the clubhouse Tuesday voted a \$20 contribution for Care packages to be sent to Korea.

Mrs. Frank Friend, grounds beautification chairman, reported 30 hibiscus bushes have been planted on the clubhouse grounds. Acting upon her suggestion, the club voted to plant a flowering tree on the clubhouse grounds on Arbor Day.

The group made plans to sponsor a rummage sale on Jan. 19. Mrs. Leo Wroten, president of the club, named Mrs. Lewis Friend, Mrs. R. J. Schroder and herself on the committee to have charge of arrangements.

Mrs. J. R. York gave a list of repairs and replacements needed for the clubhouse. The club voted to purchase new equipment for the clubhouse kitchen.

Mrs. Leon Spooner, chairman of the March of Dimes drive in the Pahokee-Canal Point area, announced the local drive will start later this month. The club voted to assist in the drive by again sponsoring this year the collection of donations from theatre patrons between performances at the local theatres.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Pope and son, Terry, have returned to their home in Atlanta, Ga., after a visit with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Pope, in Pahokee.

Report of Condition of
BANK OF PAHOKEE
of Pahokee, in the State of Florida, at the close of business on Dec. 31, 1951.

ASSETS	
Cash, balance with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$1,480,195.00
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,418,753.00
Obligations of State and political subdivisions	28,355.00
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	5,000.00
Loans and discounts	1,354,728.98
Bank premises owned	\$24,000.00
Furniture and fixtures	48,000.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises	2,700.00
TOTAL ASSETS	\$4,337,729.98
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	\$2,841,051.57
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	520,455.58
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	21,197.28
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	634,283.38
Other deposits (certified officers' checks, etc.)	31,028.98
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$4,048,017.09
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital	50,000.00
Surplus	170,000.00
Undivided profits	59,212.89
Reserves (and redemption account for preferred capital)	10,500.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	289,712.89
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$4,337,729.98

This bank's capital consists of: First preferred stock with total par value of \$10,500.00, total retrievable value \$10,500.00; common stock with total par value of \$39,500.00.

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes 904,158.00

Loans as shown above are after deduction of reserves of 13,455.00

E. F. McIlwain, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that he fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: H. M. McIntosh

Directors { John A. Elbon
Rupert Mock

State of Florida, County of Palm Beach ss

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of January, 1952, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of the bank.

WILMA CRUTHIRD
(NOTARY'S SEAL) Notary Public
My commission expires Aug. 7, 1953.

Methodist Women Of Canal Point In Meeting On Tuesday

Mrs. H. C. Kinney presented the program, "What Bring We to Our Savior," at a meeting of the Canal Point Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service in the Sunday School building Tuesday afternoon, with Mrs. Earl Maxson president, presiding. Mrs. Frances Cross, Sr., was in charge of the worship service which had as theme, "For the Joy That is Set Before Us."

Mrs. Boyd Vorhees announced the text book for the group's spring mission study course will be "The Family, A Christian Concern." She passed out copies of the book to members present and asked them to read it through before the start of the study course, the date to be announced later.

Acting on a suggestion by Mrs. Frank Wilson, the group voted to recommend to the pastor, Rev. J. R. Roy, that he preach a series of sermons on "The Book of Acts" which was the WSCS text for its fall mission study.

Plans were made for a luncheon on Feb. 5 when the Canal Point WSCS will entertain district of ficers including Mrs. F. W. Cooper of Fort Pierce, district president. Mrs. W. C. White of Okeechobee district secretary of status of women; Mrs. G. C. Wood of West Palm Beach, district secretary of missionary education, and Mrs. John A. Dulany of Pahokee, district secretary of children's work.

The group voted to purchase a coffee urn for the church kitchen. Mrs. A. R. Harrington, chairman, reported WSCS cleared \$201.55 from its Christmas card project. Mrs. Harrington announced World Day of Prayer will be observed on Feb. 29 and members of the Baptist Church will be invited to join the Methodist group in the observance program.

Mrs. Clint Livingston acted as hostess during the serving of refreshments which followed the meeting. Mrs. Arleneaux and Mrs. Moon were visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Harrington, Jr., of Canal Point announce the birth of a son, Joseph Andrew, at the Everglades Memorial Hospital, Jan. 4.

Mrs. Emma Wheeler visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bass and Mrs. Charlotte Walston visited Mr. and Mrs. Minnihan in Okeechobee over the weekend.



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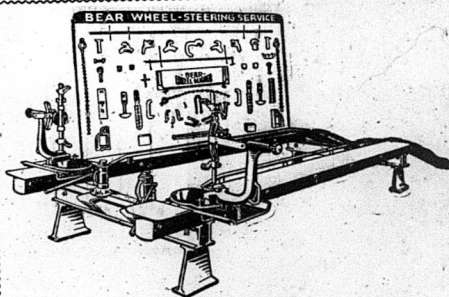
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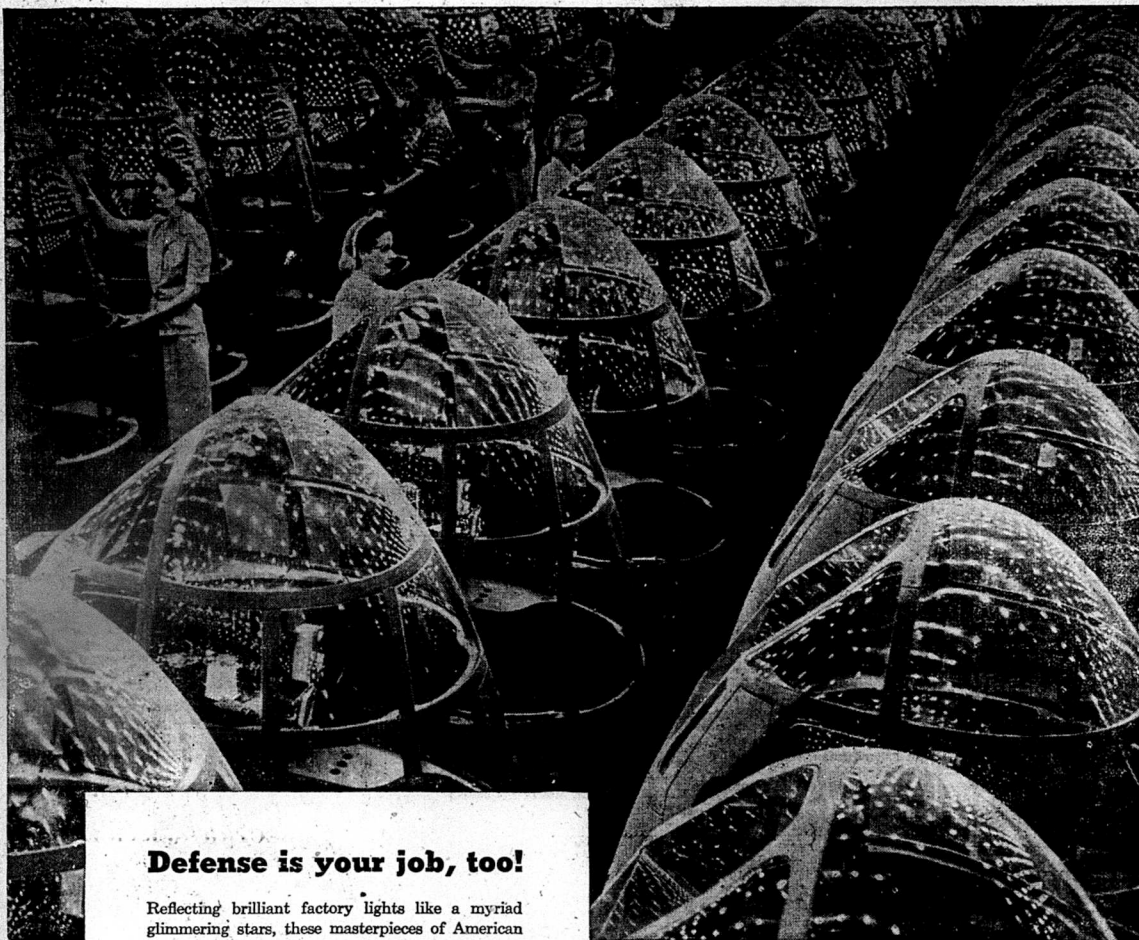


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County Enjoyed One Of Its Best Years Under Chairman Paul Rardin

A tribute to County Commissioner Paul Rardin for his "fair and faithful" service to the county during his term as chairman, was extended Monday by the other members of the county board.

Rardin stepped down as commission chairman this week when the board held its annual organization session. The former chairman from Canal Point representing District Five, was succeeded as chairman of the commission by Kenneth Foster, District One.

Wording the board's vote of appreciation to Mr. Rardin, County Commissioner Lake Lytal, West Palm Beach, commended the Glades representative for his interest in county affairs.

Lytal declared that during Rardin's tenure of office "the county



PAUL RARDIN
Canal Point

has enjoyed one of its best years."

During the business session which wound up the county's year and which was directed by the outgoing chairman, the board:

Received notification that the County Democratic Committee had placed candidates filing fee at 2 percent of the annual salary of the office for which the candidate is seeking election.

Made arrangements for the entire board, plus County Attorney Harry Edmonston, County Engineer J. M. Boyd and the Palm Beach County legislative delegation to attend the State Road Department's annual budget meeting to be held in Tallahassee on January 14 to 18.

Referred a request from Dewey Hilsaback, civil defense director of South Florida, for county funds to help finance a screening center, to Col Ellis Altman, county civil defense director.

Approved a resolution proceedings had been filed for three parcels of land needed for right-of-way on Australian Ave. in West Palm Beach.

Postponed the board regular meeting set for January 14 to January 16 to allow the board to attend the road department meeting.

Authorized a land trade between the county and the Lake Worth Drainage District.

Received a state gas tax check for \$5,837.36.

Florida is in the midst of a drive-in theater boom, with 125 of the motor movie stands in operation, compared with 390 conventional theatres.

Glowing Tribute—

Continued from page 1
ed out McKee's efficiency and for the compliments always paid by the state auditor's for McKee's work. "We have always been complimented by the state on our well kept records."

Another 11-year-man, Ed Seabrook, head of the county mosquito control unit, drew this praise. "We hope the rest of the state can do as good a job of controlling mosquitoes as Seabrook has done in Palm Beach County."

Also given praise was the work which has been done by Dr. W. E. VanLandingham, county physician for eight years; Mrs. Neil Smith, eight years as juvenile probation officer and counselor; Dr. C. L. Brumback, two years as county health director; Frank Sakser, two years as county aviation director and now voting machine custodian.

The commission even included Miss Stella Thompson, who is not an employee of the commission but a deputy in the office of the circuit court clerk. Miss Thompson has for many years taken the minutes of the county board meetings.

The resolution adopted by the board extended a vote of appreciation to the employees for work well done and commendation for the faithful and efficient services which they have provided the county.

Blue Devil Cagers Win Two Games

The Pahokee Blue Devil cagers got their 1952 basketball season off to a good start by edging the Fort Pierce Eagles, 38-36, in the opener played in the local gym Friday night. It was a thrilling contest that furnished lots of excitement for local fans, with the outcome uncertain until the final whistle. Carney Wilder was hotter than a firecracker, chalking up 22 of his team's 38 points. Wilder was all over the floor, hitting the basket from all angles and even gave the fans a good laugh when he leaped into the lap of the scorekeeper. The Pahokee B team lost to the Eagles in the preliminary contest.

The Blue Devils won their second game of the season in the local gym Tuesday when they downed the Clewiston Tigers, 40-30. Danny Mullis was high man for the Blue Devils, with 16 points. Buddy Hewell and Wilder each accounted for 10 points. In the preliminary B game Pahokee defeated Clewiston, 25-20.

Coach Bill Howerd's Blue Devils will be gunning for their third straight victory when they meet the Belle Glade Rams in the local gym this Friday night, with the preliminary B game scheduled to get under way at 7 p. m. On Tuesday night, Jan. 15, they will play the Lake Worth Trojans in the local gym and on Friday night, Jan. 18, they will play their first game away from home when they travel to Delray Beach to tangle with the Seacrest Seahawks.

Garden Circles To Hold Regular Meets

"Civic and Roadside Beautification" meetings of the four circles of the "Gon" will be the program topic at Pahokee-Canal Point Garden Club to be held separately at homes of members Tuesday.

The Gardenia Circle will meet at 9:45 a. m. at the home of Mrs. G. Lawton Sims, with Mrs. Donald Kepp, co-hostess.

The Poinsettia Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Vinson Henderson at 3 p. m. Mrs. Duncan Padgett will present the program and Mrs. J. T. Platt, chairman, will preside at the business.

The Ixora Circle will meet at 2 p. m. at the home of Mrs. James Vandegrift.

Mrs. Don Hillier will be hostess to members of the Hibiscus Circle at a meeting at her home at 10 a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Forst of Concord, N. H., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Osceola Upthegrove in Canal Point.

Equipment Place Gets Signs Freshened

Sign painters have finished refurbishing the huge signs on the front of Glades Equipment Company in Pahokee. The new signs and a fresh coat of paint on the front gives the popular Shaughnessy establishment a cheery appearance to the hundreds of satisfied customers who visit it each week.

Lucy Jones Circle

Mrs. C. A. Batchelor was hostess to members of the Lucy Jones Circle, First Baptist WMS, at a meeting at her home Monday, with Mrs. Mary Hammond, chairman, presiding. The devotional program was presented by Mrs. L. G. Alderman and Mrs. W. H. Rogers. Following a brief business session and the serving of refreshments circle members went to the Methodist Church to hear a talk on Palestine by Mrs. L. J. McCaffrey of Miami.



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